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The marriage of Mr. George Gould and Miss Kingdon has created more than the usual flutter in society and one in which more than ordinary interest was taken by the public, not merely because Mr. Gould himself was a millionaire, or the son of a modern Crœsus, but because he had withdrawn from the theatre a lady in whose professional career the public had much interest. While in the discharge of her profession Miss Kingdon enjoyed a widespread reputation. Miss Kingdon is only one among many ladies of the dramatic profession in America and England who have married men of

WEALTH AND SOCIAL PROMINENCE.

Miss Farren, whom Walpole extolled as the most perfect actress he had ever seen, was married to the Earl of Derby in 1797. Mary Woffington, the sister of the famous Peg Woffington, married a son of the Earl of Cholmondeley fifty years before. The lovely Miss O'Neill married, in 1819, a member of Parliament who was afterwards made a baronet. Harriet Mellon married Sir Francis Coutts, and, upon his death, the Duke of St. Albans. We all remember, too, the marriage, unfortunate in its ending, of Adelina Patti with the Marquis of Caux. Giulia Grisi became the Countess of Meloy, and Clara Novello, also of the operatic stage, the wife of the Count Gigliucci, while the remainder of the list of marriages of singers and actresses with men of title is long and almost yearly grows longer. In the United States Fanny Kemble married the proud Pierce Butler in 1834, only to find, after a few years, that life with him was intolerable to her. The happy married life of Mrs. John Hoey, who was so long the leading lady at Wallack's, is well known, and Madeline Henriques, who succeeded her in that important place, left the stage in 1868 to become the wife of Mr. Louis J. Jennings, who was the brilliant editor of the *Times* during its fight with the Tweed Ring, and now is a member of the British Parliament. Clara Morris is the wife of a gentleman of wealth, Agnes Ethel is the widow of Mr. Tracy, over whose will there is now a contest at Buffalo, and Ada Harland gave up the theatre to marry Mr. Brander Matthews. These, too, are only a few of the cases which the marriage of Miss Kingdon to Mr. Gould recalls.

NOT THE FIRST WEDDING.

It is currently reported that the recent wedding was not the first one for the happy couple. The preliminary and really conclusive wedding took place in London upwards of two months ago. It all came about in this way. Nearly a year ago Mr. Gould's attention to Miss Kingdon became the subject of comment in theatrical society, and, unfortunately, some unpleasant things were said about the lady in consequence. There can be nothing more certain than that all aspersions upon Miss Kingdon's character were false and groundless. No one who knew her, either in her profession or out of it, ever uttered a word in derogation of her. The slight breath of scandal was inspired by those who knew nothing of what they talked about. Mr. Gould's attentions were not obtrusive, but they were earnest, and showed that he meant business. He did not content himself with sending extravagant bouquets to her across the footlights, but sent instead his coupe to the stage door of Daly's every night at the conclusion of the performance, and Miss Kingdon rode to her own home in it. He also gave her a present now and then of costly jewelery.

Now, there has been a third party to this interesting romance from the beginning, and it may be well to introduce her at this point. Enter then, Mrs. Kingdon, mother and chaperone of the actress. The friends of the latter credit the mother with a good deal of shrewd figuring. They declare, good humoredly, that her experience detected Mr. George's extraordinary merits and native worth before her daughter did, conscious as the latter might be of her rare fortune in securing the esteem of a many millionaire. Be that as it may, Mrs. Kingdon has accompanied her daughter in all her travels, and Mr. Gould has deferred to the mother's wishes at all times as a true lover should.

APARTMENTS IN LONDON.

As soon as it had become known that the Daly company was to go abroad, Mr. George sent his valet over to London to procure suitable apartments for his sweetheart. They were furnished new at great expense; servants employed to attend to the lady's needs during her stay in the metropolis, and a fine carriage and span bought and placed at her disposal. In fact, everything was arranged as nicely as if Mr. Gould were going to settle in London himself. The more he thought about the quality of life in such elegant apartments the more he inclined to occupy them. So at last after the company had been absent a short time, he followed and did take up quarters in the nicely furnished house. But before that a wedding took place. The desirable millionaire was away from home in a foreign land, and the strongest influence upon his acts and feelings was the beautiful actress. If he was to be snared by diplomacy, now was certainly the time for action. At all events a quiet wedding occurred, at which Mr. George Gould and Miss Edith Kingdon were regularly married. Several members of the Daly company were cognizant of the fact, if not present at the event. Mr. Gould gave his wife a magnificent diamond brooch as a wedding token. For over a month the couple lived together in the London *suite*, and there is no question that the time passed very happily for both. Whether Mr. George's bliss may not have been slightly clouded, now and then, when he thought of

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on this side the Atlantic, is not certainly known, but it seems reasonable to suppose so, inasmuch as the marriage was without his knowledge. It is believed that he knew of his son's fondness for the actress, but was not aware of his immediate intentions. Well, after a few weeks of honeymoon, George returned home and faced the music. It was all pianissimo, and could not be heard beyond the confines of the Gould household, but it was very earnest. Whatever regret the father may have had for his son's course was soon cast aside or concealed, and a plan adopted that should ensure the avoidance of anything like scandal. The whold world would be agog over elopement stories if George should allow it to become understood that he had been secretly married abroad, and it was accordingly determined to have a new ceremony when Miss Kingdon's season with Daly should be terminated. Mr. George did not object to this at all, as he thought that his experience in London would prove a capital rehearsal for the ordeal on this side, and so it proved, if the groom's behavior in public since the event is any criterion. He takes congratulation and chaff as quietly and modestly as if it were simply a clever manipulation of railway stocks that had interested him, and hardly betrays his joy by a blush.

JEALOUSIES ARISE.

But after the company had been abroad for a time a little unpleasantness arose, through the jealousy of one of her superiors in rank over press notices. Nothing serious occurred, however, until Hamburg was reached. The papers in this city, with remarkable uniformity, commended Miss Kingdon above all in the troupe, excepting possibly M. James Lewis. The jealousy did not extend to Miss Kingdon alone, but she was about the only available victim of it. Things became very unpleasant for her, and the acme was reached at Berlin where she ceased to appear. Her salary continued, but she has not been on the stage since leaving Hamburg. Her departure from the company followed, as a matter of course, and it was accomplished without further disagreeable experience. She felt that she could leave without a great sacrifice, in view of her relations with Mr. Gould, and the actress and the company therefore parted. She went to Paris, remained for a short time, and then took the steamer for New York. Her friends say that the reason why the first wedding was kept a secret was that Mr. Gould desired to avoid talk as much as possible, and, having certain arrangements to make with his father, it was decided best that she should finish her season according to contract before the marriage should be announced.

Young Mr. Gould naturally comes in for no little discussion in view of this affair. He has his warm friends, who stoutly maintain that he is a good fellow and a very desirable party, outside of money considerations. It seems to be generally admitted, too, that he is a shrewd business man, in spite of many curious stories floating about in the newspapers concerning him.

CONTINENTAL HAPPENINGS.

BERLIN, Sept. 27.—The North German *Gazette* in an article denying the great power of Prince Alexander, maintains that Russia placed no difficulty in the way of Alexander remaining at Sofia, it says: The Czar's personal aversion for Alexander is no new thing. For the past five years the Prince believed himself able to bear Russia's wrath without prejudice for the interests of Bulgaria, therefore, it behooves the newspapers favorable to Alexander to explain the real motives of his abdication. If the papers fail to offer an explanation the German and Austrian parliaments must do so. Turkey's agent abroad reports that the peace of Europe is endangered by the present temper of the English and Austrian cabinets against Russia. The Turkish war department contemplates equipping and drilling 60,000 Turkish horsemen in the same manner that the Russian Cossacks are equipped and drilled.

La France opposes the annexation of the New Hebrides, which it says is only desired to bring in New Caledonia, which wants to make the islands the hunting grounds for disquieted slave traders, who, when the natives attempt to defend themselves, will cry out: "The French settlers are being murdered and the flag is being insulted." It urges the government to refrain from sending further expeditions to the islands that can't be of any use.

Thirty insurgents who took part in the recent revolt appeared in the village of Gerona on Sunday. A number were wounded, and these were left in the village, and the others then made their way across the frontier into France.

The bishop of Liege, Belgium, in opening congress in that city yesterday, urged the leading social class to interest themselves in the public and political affairs. He called upon the wealthy to renounce their life of luxury in order to relieve the poverty of 5000 workmen. He afterwards joined in a peaceful demonstration.

The condition of King Otto, of Bavaria, is growing worse. He refused warm food but devours great quantities of cold viands. Often in the middle of the night he talks to himself and gesticulates wildly. He insists on remaining in solitude. Queen Maria of Bavaria visited him.

The *Moniteur de Rome* received letters emanating from the Christian missions in China, stating to the Catholics that a missionary of that country had been burned by the natives and a thousand native Catholic adherents placed in manacles.

HANLAN AND BEACH.

London dispatches of the 27th inst. announce the arrival there of Edward Hanlan and that already he had challenged Wm. Beach to row a race on the Thames for any sum up to $25,000 and offered to row him in America or Australia, Hanlan to give Beach $1000 in the former case and Beach to give Hanlan $1000 in the latter. Beach has declined all challenges. Notwithstanding this Hanlan has deposited one hundred pounds in a challenge to Beach for a race on the Thames or Tyne for five hundred pounds aside and the championship of the world. He offers to meet Beach today to arrange the match.

The ex and present champion witnessed the sculling race between Largan and Neilson from the deck of a steamer. On meeting these two gentlemen showed a decided hostility and coldness to each other, not even exchanging the common courtesy of a shake of the hand. In conversation Beach said he would not row in America if Hanlan offered him the whole of America to do so. He said he would on the Paramatta and would lay Hanlan £1000 against £800, but he would not pay Hanlan's traveling expenses. The dispute continued some time and Hanlan was greatly annoyed by Beach calling him a "gas bag." In sporting circles it is to be hoped that another test can be arranged for between these aquatic kings. An effort will be made to raise enough money to pay Hanlan's expenses to Sydney, where a final test will take place.

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THE WORLD'S MIRROR.

Happenings All Over the Globe—Current Events and Topics.

California has started earthquake insurance companies.

Pennsylvania nut coal is worth $25 per ton in Deadwood, D. T.

There is a large crop of bears in Quebec province this season.

Mrs. Langtry and her company sailed for America, Sept. 18th.

Two of the thrones of the last Napoleon are for sale in France at $100 each.

Hingham, Mass., has not only the oldest church in America, but the oldest sexton, he having served in that capacity for 59 consecutive years.

The Albany, N. Y., board of lumber dealers met Saturday morning and advanced the price in that market on all grades of lumber $1 per thousand foot.

The latest gem in the line of coroner's jury verdicts comes from Dakota, where the jury found that she "came to her death from a felonious desire to reach a happy hereafter."

Aeronaut Miss Lula Bates went up in a balloon at Crawfordsville, Ind., on the 10th. The balloon burst in mid-air, and the occupant came down in the basket and was not killed.

All the steamships of the Allan line are being registered at the port of Montreal as they come in, and now carry the Canadian ensign at the peak instead of the British one, as formerly.

A eucalyptus tree, 50 feet from a well in Alameda county, California, sent two roots through the brick wall of a well 15 feet below the surface, and completely covered the bottom with a mat of fibres.

It is estimated that the wheat crop of California will be worth $54,000,000 this year, as against $28,000,000 last year, and the barley crop will fetch $16,000,000, a gain of $7,000,000 over last year.

Thomas Stevens, the around-the-world bicyclist, has started from Kurrachee, a port on the western coast of India, for Calcutta. He has before him a straight road, 1,350 miles long, leading through Delhi, Lucknow, Agra, and other important Indian cities.

The French authorities at Havre have just seized eleven English fishing boats for infringing the International maritime and fisheries laws in the channel. *Le Paris* says the boats were seized in reprisal for the arrest by the British authorities of French fishing boats off Folkestone.

It is remarked that although Emperor Francis Joseph is at Pizemyal, in Galicia, and the Czar at Brest Litovsk, in Poland, not more than 250 kilometres apart, neither has given any sign of desire or intention of meeting the other. In fact neither has sent the other greetings even by deputy.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of the State of Massachusetts will hold their session between the 17th and 22d of this month in Odd Fellows' Hall, Boston. A fine time is anticipated, and it is expected that not less that 10,000 Odd Fellows will join the procession which will march through the principal streets.

Advices from Newfoundland say it is reported in St. John's that President Cleveland has intimated his intention to recommend to congress the appointment of a commission to consider the whole fishing question. The name of a prominent merchant in St. John's is already spoken of as most likely to represent the colony of Newfoundland in such commission.

The Connecticut river and its tributaries furnish power to 2,298 mills, which use 118,026 horse-power. Miller's river and its branches supply 188 mills, with 7,572 horse-power; Chicopee river, 182 mills, with 14,904 horse-power and Farmington river, 178 mills, with 8,852 horsepower. The Connecticut itself has fewer mills (98), but supplies 23,336 horsepower.

Buffalo is going to have the largest clock in the world. The dial will be 25 feet in diameter, and the centre of the dial will be 360 feet above the street. The dial will be illuminated by electricity, and it is calculated that the time can be seen at night from any part of the city, and with a field-glass the position of the hands can be distinguished at a distance of fifteen miles.

There is no change in the strike of the Havana cigar makers which began a few weeks ago. Many of the strikers are without means and are suffering for want of food and other necessaries. Some others who possessed a little money have gone to Key West to look for work. The manufacturers of Vuelta Abajo tobacco, fearing that their employes may join the strikers, have formed a union to resist any unreasonable demands. The Patlido leaf factories, whose hands started the strike, are still idle.

HOME RULE IN KINGSTON.

A meeting of the citizens of Kingston, Ont., was addressed on Monday night by the Irish National Loyalists, Dr. Kane and G. H. Smith. There was a large attendance. A resolution of sympathy was moved and seconded and another recommending that the British parliament grant Home Rule and self government to Ireland, similar to that enjoyed in Canada. The amendment was moved by Mr. William Robinsion, ex-M. P. P., an Orangeman and a Liberal. Cheers, hisses and loud talking followed the introduction of the latter resolution and the lie regarding the business of the delegates was hurled across the table. Kane and Smith were called "firebrands," and cheers were given for Parnell. Robinson told Kane he was mistaken if he thought he could change the views of the Canadian members of parliament by his speeches. After much disputation the chairman put both resolutions, and the one of sympathy was passed and Robinson's rejected.

THE QUEEN'S PROROGATION SPEECH.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Parliament was prorogued to-day until November 11th. Following is the Queen's speech closing the session of the House of Commons:—

"*My Lords and Gentlemen:* I am glad to be able to relieve you from your arduous duties. My relations with the foreign powers continue to be friendly. The mutiny of a portion of the Bulgarian army has led to the abdication of Prince Alexander. A regency has been established which is now administering the affairs of the principality and preparations are being made for the election of a successor to Prince Alexander, in accordance with the provisions of the treaty of Berlin. I thank you for the supplies you have voted for the requirements of the public service. My lords and gentlemen: I have directed the issue of a commission to inquire into the circumstances which appear to have prevented the anticipated operation of recent acts dealing with the tenure and purchase of land in Ireland.

NEWS BY CABLE.

RED REPUBLICAN RIOT.

PARIS, Sept. 28.—A riot took place today during the unveiling and dedication of the statue of Armond Barbes, the red republican colleague of Blanqui, at Circassonne, in the Department of *Ande*. The committee having the ceremonies in charge were nearly all moderationists. The revolutionists became provoked at this predominance, in the case of such a conspirator as Barbes, whom they regarded as one of their creed, and attempted to control the demonstration themselves. In this they were resisted by the committee, assisted by the police. The revolutionists gathered reinforcements and made an open fight for control of the situation. With red flags flying they assaulted the enclosed site, breaking down barriers, trampling over women and children, and driving moderationists and their police allies away from the place.

SOCIALISTS IN LEIPSIC.

LEIPSIC, Sept. 28.—Four hundred Socialists to-day made a demonstration by marching through the streets with the expelled Socialist leader, Schumann, at their head, waving red flags and denouncing the government. The police attacked the procession and attempted to capture the red flag. The Socialists beat the officers back, and after a stubborn fight, in which many on both sides were wounded, the police got reinforced and returned. This time they succeeded in dispersing the Socialists and capturing seven, Schumann inclusive.

ENTERTAINING BEECHER.

LONDON, Sept. 28.—The Congregational board of ministers formally entertained Rev. Henry Ward Beecher and wife this afternoon in Memorial Hall in Farrington street. Rev. John Munn, president of the board, presented Beecher with an address of welcome, on behalf of the Congregationalists of England. The American clergyman replied in an eloquent and characteristic manner.

MILLS BURNED.

MANCHESTER, Sept. 28.—The Roach Mills at Heyward were burned to-day. The mills employed 35,000 spindles.

LONDON GOSSIP BY CABLE.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—Mrs. Parnell, addressing a meeting at Liverpool this evening said the Americans looked to the Irish to uphold the democratic principles in their demands for Home Rule. In the past the victories Irishmen achieved were no greater victories than that of controlling their tempers. Their chance had come; England was in arms against Ireland which America was rejoiced to see.

The Belfast riot commission will commence to sit on October 4th. The Waterford farmers have resolved to prevent any hunting until Father Fahey has been released from prison.

Advices from St. Petersburg say: The Russian government resolved that the Baltic fleet shall remain equipped throughout the coming winter so that it will be in readiness in an emergency.

Lord Churchill has unexpectedly decided to preside at the Conservative demonstration at Dartford next Saturday. He will leave on Monday for Germany for a fortnight's tour.

The cholera returns for Austria and Hungary are: Pesth, 36 new cases, 13 deaths; Trieste, 11 new cases, 1 death.

The Press Association says: The British government has no official cognizance of the alleged treaty between England and the United States.

THE QUARY DISASTER.

GLASGOW, Sept. 26.—Latest accounts of the quary disaster place the number of victims at seven. The crowd paid no attention to a warning to keep at a distance, but rushed past the person giving the advice. An indescribable scene followed. The people looked as is they were under the influence of intoxicants, undergoing convulsive contortions, accompanied by laughing, crying and screaming as they returned to consciousness. Medical men see that after the explosion, which loosened about 500,000 tons of granite, a cloud of nitrous oxide gas ascended, and in the absence of wind fell to the earth and enveloped the spectators. A number of persons escaped unaffected, while others, probably 150, detected a pungent taste and odor, accompanied by difficulty in breathing. This was followed by convulsions and vomiting.

PROBABLY A HOAX.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The *Eastern Morning News*, of Hull, has received a letter bearing the London postmark, and signed "One of them," announcing that the Fenians intend to burn Hull, and will set fire to the town at twenty different points, simultaneously. The writer says he is disgusted with his brother Fenians. He enjoins secrecy upon the editor, saying that the writer will be murdered if the Fenians discover that he has divulged the plot.

TRYING TO GROW TOBACCO.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Englishmen are trying to persuade themselves that they can grow tobacco. A field of tobacco, harvested last week in Kent, is reported to look well, but was admittedly planted as an experiment only, with seventeen kinds of tobacco, of which only two failed. Authorities say there is no doubt that tobacco can be grown in England. The question is, will it pay?

SIR CHARLES DILKE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—The *Herald's* London correspondent quotes an intimate friend of Sir Charles Dilke as saying: "I am absolutely certain that Sir Charles does not intend to leave England permanently. It is his home, and here he will remain. It is not his intention to establish and control a London newspaper. He means, when it is feasible, to take a sub-editorial position on some London paper, and thoroughly acquaint himself with all the ins and outs of journalistic work. Then, if a political career were still forbidden him, he could drop journalism and pick up something else. It is not for money, nor a career, that Sir Charles thinks of entering in journalism. It will simply give him scope for his energies until public opinion reverses his verdict and enables him to resume his political career."

THE ALLEGED FISHERY TREATY.

OTTAWA, Sept. 27th.—Initiatory steps have been taken looking to the prosecution of the parties who sent the bogus reports concerning the alleged new fishery treaty. Their offence is indictable and the cause of popular indignation over the numerous impositions practised lately. It seems that the industry is to be put an end to, for a time at least.

PEACE RIVER RAILWAY.

Mr. A. P. Macdonald is Positive the Road Will be Built.

Mr. A. P. Macdonald, who lately visited this city, and who holds the charter for the construction of the North Canadian Pacific Railway to a Winnipeg *Sun* reporter a few days ago expressed his belief that the railway to Peace river would certainly go ahead next summer. He said that Mr. Manning, one of the charter applicants, had been to London to float the scheme, and had met with flattering success. But even if they did not raise a dollar the applicants were wealthy enough to build most of the line themselves. All they now wanted from the Dominion government was a grant of ten thousand acres of land per mile, the land to be selected in the Peace river country. Mr. Macdonald said the company was negotiating to purchase the old grade from Winnipeg to Stony Mountain, off which the rails had been taken. The amount asked for the grade was $25,000 per mile, which was regarded as a pretty high figure. Mr. Macdonald said there was no doubt but such a road would pay. Starting from Winnipeg it went to the Narrows, where plenty of salt existed. Thence out to Fort la Corne and on to Lac la Biche, where petroleum flows in abundance. Passing the south shore of Little Slave Lake the line goes on to Fort Dunvegan on the Peace river, and skirting the south shore of the river it goes on to Fort Simpson. With the Hudson's Bay route open a branch could be built from Fort Dunvegan to Fort Churchill, and so the great products of the Peace river country could be sent direct to Europe.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. G. K. Beede is at the Driard.

Jno. D. Hall, assistant surgeon, U.S.A., is in the city.

Mme. Minnie Hauk, E. H. de Wartegg, Signor Spigaroli, of New York; Captain A. N. Bainbridge, 14th U. S. Infantry, Fort Townsend, are at the Driard.

Mrs Muhlenbach, Miss Muhlenbach, Chevalier de Kontski, Geo Fox, Charles Pratt, of the Minnie Hauk Co., are at the Clarence.

Wm. Goudy, Ladners Landing; B S Miller and J S Goldsmith, Portland, are at the Clarence.

Mr. J. W. Thompson, who for many years taught the Cedar Hill school and subsequently a resident of Saanich, has removed to Chilliwhack, where he will reside in future. His intention is to embark in the agency and commission business. He was lately appointed a notary public. Mr. Thompson is a deserving gentleman, energetic, reliable, and business committed to his care will receive every attention.

Mr. A. W. Ross, M. P., of Vancouver, will stand for re-election in Lisgar, Man. Absence from the constituency has only made the hearts of the electors grow fonder, he thinks, and there will be little or no trouble in carrying the constituency. Mr. and Mrs. Ross are now in Winnipeg.

Mr. Fred. Brown, who at one time was night operator in the Victoria office, and of late telegraph operator and postmaster of Yale has resigned the latter positions to take charge of the telegraph service of the Island railway and the ticket agency at the temporary terminus at Russell's station adjoining the Indian reservation on the opposite side of the harbor lately purchased by Mr. Dunsmuir from Sir John Macdonald, Minister of Indian Affairs for the Dominion.

Mr. A. Macpherson, of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Co., and bride, arrived by the Sound steamer to-day. We extend congratulations to the happy couple.

Messrs. Marshall and Dixon two of Portland's most energetic railway men, representing the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, are in the city en route east by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Wm Gore, John Celim, O S Gregg, L Neiggs, San Francisco; Moreton Frewen, England; Mrs Marshall and Miss Dickson, Portland, arrived this afternoon and are stopping at the Driard.

Passengers by the North Pacific: E Turner, C Walsworth and wife, W Terrin, C A Reava, wife and 2 children, M Morton and wife, A Harris, Mr Brockaw, J Morton A McPherson and wife, J J Knox, W Hubbard, C L Rockwell, E H Gilman, W H Marshall and wife, Hon M B Richardson, G W More and wife, Miss E Kenney, J H Burt, W C Hill and wife, Mrs Petty, Mr Mattlage, T Whartlan, Jno Sloan, Thos Rotter, H O Annour, Dr Corcoran, wife and son, A B F King and wife, W H Dixon, Mrs Dixon, A N Gifford, J Marble and wife, Purson, A J Day, J Mitchell, Mrs Kane, J Meany, E L Tetu, J Dixon, Payne, J K Bathwell, J Smith, C F Bean and wife, C Dorbrin, H E Smith, McTeigh.

CHURCH ETIQUETTE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—I attended Christ Church Cathedral one Sunday afternoon about a month or so ago, and failing to see an usher after entering the vestibule or in passing into the church, I escorted my wife to a pew on the north side about half way up. There was no person sitting in or near the pew we occupied. After getting seated a large rough-spoken individual tapped me on the shoulder from behind, saying at the same time, "You can't sit here." I thought from the tone and manner it might be Mephistopheles, or the owner of the pew, and I got out with alacrity; the usher, for so it proved to be, escorted us to another seat. That is my grievance. It is not much, but quite sufficient to deter me from again attempting to enter uninvited any pew in Christ Church. The church wardens will not feel half so much annoyed about this letter as I did at the unceremonious manner in which I was ordered to change seats in the presence of a large congregation. Faithfully yours, COSMOPOLITAN.

SALMON PACK FOR 1886.

The salmon pack at Cook's Inlet, Alaska, is put down at 30,000 cases and for the whole Territory of Alaska, 130,000 cases. The latest San Francisco estimate of the coast for 1886 is as follows; Columbia river, 470,000 cases; other Oregon rivers, 15,000; British Columbia, 125,000; Alaska, 130,000; California, 40,00; total, 795,000. It is a little above the actual figures, though not much.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE COAL.

Advices have been received in the city that a party are on their way to Victoria with a ton and a half of coal taken from an 18 foot seam, the property of the Yakoun Coal Company, in which several Victorians are interested.

TWO CHIEFS.

OTTAWA, Sept. 28.—Crowfoot, chief of the Blackfoot Indians, passed through Winnipeg last night on his way to Ottawa to visit Sir John A. Macdonald.

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A GENERAL ELECTION.

It is reported from Ottawa that the writs for a general election have been prepared and are in that advanced stage that all that is necessary for their completion is the filling up of the blanks. Much, however, will depend on the result of the provincial elections in Quebec, where there is now a fierce political struggle in process. Color is given to the belief that an early dissolution of parliament will take place in the activity displayed by parties in the confidence of the government as well as leading members of the opposition, who are generally about as well informed of transpiring events as are the most ultra supporters of the cabinet. Many members who had signified their intention to visit British Columbia this year have been compelled to defer their visit in consequence of the uncertainty surrounding the intentions of the government on the dissolution question. It is probable that a few leading members of the Commons will pay us a visit ere the snow flies.

It is also learned that the result of the contest in Quebec now depends merely on the action of the hierarchy of the Roman Catholic Church. If the clergy pursue an independent course, leaving the issue entirely with the people, the battle will be won by the Nationalist party. Should the church interfere and press on its adherents the necessity of upholding its prestige and conservative doctrines, the Ross government and its candidates, who have the sympathy of the Federal government, will as surely win the victory. In sixteen days more the fate of the Quebec, on which hinges also that of the Ottawa Cabinet, will be known, and an intense tension on the nerves of our politicians relieved.

ANOTHER BIG SCHEME.

This is an age of big schemes. The biggest kind of railway schemes have been carried into effect. The Suez canal scheme was no sooner realised than the Panama canal scheme took its place. Then there are the federation schemes. A Canadian confederation scheme once carried out infects the Australian colonies with a like idea, and before that is effected the bigger scheme of British Imperial federation looms upon the world. But the one scheme which promises to assume the greatest proportions and overlay all the others has just now been launched. Of course a great scheme must have a great man behind it. And the man behind the scheme in this case, according to an eastern contemporary, is none other than HENRY WENTWORTH MOSS, Esquire, M. P. P. for Carleton, Ontario. Mr. MOSS, as the Parliamentary Companion tells the astonished world, is descended from a long line of ancestors, who included some distinguished names in the British army and navy, with a duke or two thrown in a good way back. There is scarcely a finer pedigree in Canada short of one famous line of descent from kings of Tyrconnell. Under these tremendous circumstances, together with the fact of his residence being in the metropolitan county of Canada, surrounding and including the towers and spires, the miles of cornice and acres of plaster which go to adorn our national edifices, the gigantic mind of HENRY WENTWORTH MOSS was naturally moved in the conception of a great idea, a capital idea, in fact. His idea is a capital for the whole earth. In fact he is now at the head of a company recently formed for the purpose of buying the territory of Palestine, and establishing there the capital of the world. The capital stock of the New British Empire Company is $10,000,000, and it is said that $1,000,000 has been subscribed already. Mr. MOSS, as president, has issued a prospectus, and next month he will go to England to place the stock of his company. The names of the president of the United States and JAMES G. BLAINE of Maine are attached to the prospectus as honorary vice-presidents, and her majesty Queen VICTORIA is named as patroness. Mr. MOSS states in his prospectus that Palestine is the geographical centre of the earth as well as the centre of population, and he thinks that now is the time, foretold in Isaiah, when the civilized people of the earth shall cease from warfare, and accept Jerusalem as their capital. Mr. MOSS says:—

Meanwhile, until other nations are prepared to join us, Palestine would be the most convenient central position for the capital of the proposed confederation of the British Empire, or for the English speaking communities everywhere, for the United States would doubtless immediately join us in such a confederation for the sake of insuring the general peace of the world at the earliest possible day.

It is a big scheme, and the best of it is that it promises to satisfy the minds of those hitherto unsatisfied people who believe that the Anglo Saxon nations are of the lost tribes of Israel. Incidentally, when it is carried out, the MOSS scheme will no doubt settle the RIEL question, the Irish question and the fisheries question, thus enabling us to dispense with the Yosemite and other cutters, and also half the political capital of the political parties. The idea of a federation of the world, a parliament of man and a federal capital for the whole earth is a good one, and the assembled representatives of the world when they hereafter draw their mileage and indemnity at Jerusalem, will no doubt hold HENRY WENTWORTH MOSS in grateful remembrance.

GLADSTONE ON THE IRISH QUESTION.

Ex-Premier GLADSTONE's pamphlet of 57 pages on the "Irish question" has been republished in America by CHARLES SCRIBNER'S Sons. This pamphlet is well worth a perusal.

Mr. GLADSTONE vindicates himself from the charge of being a sudden convert to Home Rule, and quotes speeches delivered by him extending back as far as 1874, when applying to unwarrantable attacks. He points out that the results of the elections were not at all calculated to discourage those who took the side of Home Rule for Ireland. He claims that out of 292 contests in Great Britain no less than 114 have been fought between candidates professedly Liberal. Everyone of these was for a seat essentially Liberal. There have also been contests between Liberals and Tories or dissentient Liberals and Tories. Lord HARTINGTON had advised the dissentients to transfer their votes to the Tory candidates, yet, notwithstanding this, the Liberals who supported Home Rule polled the largest vote, being only 76,000 less than that of the Tories and dissentients combined. The votes polled by Mr. GLADSTONE's supporters amounted to 1,344,000; by the supporters of Lord HARTINGTON and Mr. CHAMBERLAIN 379,000, and for the Tory candidates 1,041,000. The Tories had a great advantage in the elections owing to the division in the Liberal party, which prevented the full strength being polled. The smallness of the aggregate vote as compared with the vote in 1885 shows that no inconsiderable fraction of the electors held judgment in suspense, and have not yet pronounced upon the question of Home Rule. Those who favor the Irish policy of Mr. GLADSTONE's Government number in the present house 280, and those who oppose it 390. But Mr. GLADSTONE does not regard this as ground for discouragement.

The United Kingdom is made up of four distinct nationalities—the Irish, the Scotch, the Welsh, and the English. Three of these nationalities have pronounced in favor of Irish autonomy. Scotland has approved of Irish Home Rule by 3 to 2, Ireland by 4½ to 1, and Wales by 5 to 1. Altogether they have returned 150 supporters of that policy and about 50 opponents. England, however, has returned 129 supporters of Mr. GLADSTONE's Irish policy and 336 opponents. England has in the United Legislature a vast preponderance in strength over the other three parts combined; but it is impossible to ignore the fact that the question of majority and minority does not always rule in such a case. Ireland having a majority in three out of the four nationalities, stands in Mr. GLADSTONE's opinion far better than she would were that minority proportionately diffused in the four sections. The opponents of Home Rule cannot say England, Scotland and Wales are against Ireland. On the contrary, the Irish have received signal assistance from Scotland and Wales on the great and capital subject of her nationality. Mr. GLADSTONE points out that Wales and even Scotland may ask herself whether the present system of entrusting all their affairs to the handling of a body which is English in such overwhelming proportions is an adjustment which is in full justice to what is separate and specific in their several populations. It is well known that 125 years after the union between England and Scotland, Scotland was refused real representation. Mr. GLADSTONE says the Irish nation is recovering from its national astonishment and is learning with good heart the accents of loyalty, and disclaims in the most emphatic way by the mouth of its authorized representatives the idea of separation, but instead of being taken at their word they have been told that they are not sincere, that they are not to be believed, and that all who aid or abet them are enemies of the Empire. Mr. GLADSTONE points out that separation is not in the interest of Ireland. Ireland has many hundreds of miles of coast. As a maritime state it is weak. The habits of its people are more military than nautical, and those who lead the Irish people would not expose them to the risk of invasion and to the enormous cost of creating and maintaining a navy, rather than to remain under a shield of the greatest maritime power in the world bound by all considerations of honor and honesty to guard her. Ireland would not deprive her children of the free run of the vast British Empire which they possess upon terms of absolute equality with every native of Great Britain. The leaders of her people are not so blind as to cut them away from the vast marts of the world for human enterprise, and to doom them to be aliens and foreigners among nearly 300,000,000 of men with whom they have now a common citizenship. Mr. GLADSTONE says that heretofore England has been strong enough through a course of generations to be unjust to Ireland. It is not want of strength that will put a stop to this injustice. What is wanted is better knowledge of the opinion of the British nation, instead of that of the few who have gratified their prejudices at the expense of the prosperity and happiness of the Irish people. Only the superlative iniquity of a Government led Ireland even for a moment to dream of separation, and it is known that but a few fanatics now entertain the idea of such a separation, and they who accuse the Irish of such a desire, treat it as a nation made up of men who are traitors, knaves and fools.

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Victoria, Tuesday, Sept. 28, 1886.

A JAPANESE VIEW.

OUTLINE PRINCIPLES OF DECORATION AS SEEN BY A NATIVE.

Fans Not to Be Regarded as Articles of Decoration—Concerning Lanterns and Umbrellas—Japanese Love of Simple Things—Furniture and Landscape.

It is an error to regard fans as articles of decoration; at least, the Japanese themselves very seldom use them as such. There are exceptional cases, of course, as, where a fan has on it an autograph line of certain eminent personages (which is most frequently the case), or where some artist made it worthy of esteem for a touch of his brush. The like instances will be almost innumerable, and under these circumstances a simple unornamented fan will make itself an object of much regard for its owner, and the introduction of such a fan into an elegant decoration will elevate the graceful tone of the place. Otherwise we will never bear to see a bundle of mere wind producers let loose, tacked against walls, spread over bureaus, hung by posts, and, in short, scattered all over an apartment as if they were goods for sale. Nay to call that "dainty fan decoration!"

Nor do we pretend to appreciate those costly fans much admired by the ladies of this country. The broad frames of polished ivory, on which are wrought extravagant carvings, and the shining fringes that adorn their edges, may be "grand;" but, honestly, they look only awkward to our eyes. When summer comes the bulk and weight of a fan of this description necessarily require certain amount of muscular exertion to draw any draught; but then it is found out that the heat generated in this exercise will generally be more than can be fanned away by the drowsy flaps of this not easily manageable weapon; and after all the ladies are obliged to relate the history and the skillful workmanship of this favorite fan amid fainting breath and running perspiration!

LANTERNS AND UMBRELLAS.

Now I hasten to mention lanterns and umbrellas. Well, lanterns have some charm of their own. For instance, take a plain glass-cased lantern and hang it in the deepening shades of a green bower on a summer evening, there you will perceive the very spot where pearly dews lodge, and in the stream of its pale rays, you will even imagine you were in presence of Coolness herself. Or hang out a lot of paper lanterns in a gay row, over your windowsills and along your store fronts. The burning candles will send out from every one of your houses the air of joy and hilarity to join the prevailing festivity of any occasion. But the umbrellas are very charmless things, and I have nothing to say about them. Any way it was beyond the genius of Japanese people to bring either lanterns or umbrellas into a richly decorated hall, and to dream the harmony with the glittering surroundings. If it were in Japan I should have good reason to be offended at my being led as a guest into a place where lanterns and umbrellas are lying scattered.

The time and circumstances have led the Japanese to acquire that peculiar taste of loving simple things with imaginative conceptions; and hence an aversion to the childish love of mere showiness and gorgeousness. Thus, the Japanese are totally disgusted with painted picture panels and silk embroidered screens, although they are above others, well known in the foreign market as Japanese goods. They are altogether too vulgar for our taste, though we manufacture them, and we supply the demand abroad. It is true, the sliding doors, the moveable screens, the hanging panels, are all favorite and necessary furnitures of the Japanese household decoration, but the point here is that we would rather have them framed and finished in a gentle and tasteful manner than have them debased with glaring and ostentatious colors or paints, and also that we would rather have them painted with a serene mountain scenery or a poetic cuckoo flying in a moon than have them covered with cheap-looking embroidery work.

The same sentiment forbids us to overload our rooms with mere curios. For this reason our bronze flower vase, however unique and rare a thing it may happen to be, we always appreciate it better with fresh cut branches of trees planted in it than when it is kept topside down on a special stand just to satisfy the visitor's curiosity.

FURNITURE AND LANDSCAPE.

I condescend to say that our dwellings generally lack glaring contrast of hues and of abundant furnituring of chairs, sofas, mirrors, stands, etc., which are so many sources of western comfort. But it must be owned that it is not the Japanese temper to extort wonder and admiration under a glance. We are satisfied, if we find pleasure in looking into our yard, where a hill rises in perfect likeness of serene nature, and a cascade ripples down a rugged precipice into a pond below, enjoyed by a pair or two of happy ducks, fishing peacefully at the roots of growing reeds. We feel proud if the landscapes and birds and flowers upon our doors and screens are vivid enough to transport our guest into an unconscious recitation of a lyric. The shelves, running not uniformly, but artistically; the carved figures, not grotesque, but quaint; the exposed posts, neither shaven nor stained, but polished until it is shining; the nails, insignificant and yet ornament headed, one by one, as they come into perception, will work immeasurable charm into the mind of an interested observer.

We have sometimes been ridiculed at the lack of geometrical uniformity in our decoration, but we never look over the harmony. For instance, we will hang up our valuable pictures with a costly silk string instead of worthless wires, and the luxuriant plants we will keep in proportionally beautiful pots, instead of crude wares of reddish brown earth. Nor do we overlook that important principle of art of decoration—the change and refreshing; neither do we overcrowd our rooms with the wholesale exhibition of all beautiful things we have. We display panels and pictures sparingly at a time in their number; but we never allow the same ones to remain hung at the same spot over a season; they are displaced with the reserved ones from time to time, thus giving the place the fresh and changed airs to suit the season and occasion. In fact, this system of "spare and change" display is a very sensible portion of Japanese decoration, for our visitors will always find a chance to do honor to the correct taste of the host.—K. Takahashi in Inter-Ocean.

Breaking Bad News in Bavaria.

The Bavarian idea of gently breaking bad news is peculiar. When King Ludwig committed suicide the court chaplain was deputized to convey the sad intelligence to his mother. The chaplain hunted up a text in the Bible suitable to the occasion, and having obtained an audience with the king's mother read the text. She seemed to rather enjoy it, whereupon he read it over again. Then she looked puzzled, whereupon he read it the third time, and the attendants who knew the king was dead, began to weep. The royal lady trembled both mentally and physically. She fainted away, and the chaplain considerately withdrew.—Kansas City Journal.

The Girls of Fifty Years Ago.

Does any one suppose that the girl of fifty years ago would have been satisfied with a homespun dress if all sorts of pretty materials had been as plenty and as cheap as they are to-day? Fifty years from now the boys and girls of to-day will be far enough advanced to take a retrospective view, and then they will be seen with spectacles on their noses lamenting the degeneracy of the times and telling of the wonderful feats accomplished by Susie or Nellie in the days when they were young.—Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

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THEIR METHODS OF TRAINING.

Prize Fighters and Athletes—Radical Errors of Trainers—Self-Denial.

Ever since athletic sports have been followed people have put themselves on record through misstatements about prize fighters and their methods of training—how this or that man's death was caused by overtraining or too rapid a preparation for any special feat. No question has brought to light so much gross ignorance as this one. It is not overtraining that causes the trouble, but insufficient work, or total negligence of training. The writer's experience dates back to the time when drenching and many hours of fatiguing work were the rule, and, even with all their errors, the trainers of a quarter of a century ago got their men into better condition than the latter day trainers do.

The modern trainers go to the other extreme, as they scarcely work their charges at all, preferring to have their men big and strong rather than thin and overdrawn. Some have struck the happy medium, and they invariably present their men in good trim. This is generally accomplished by slow and careful work, which, while not being showy, is none the less thorough. One of the most radical errors modern trainers plunge into is the rushing system. They get hold of a strapping young fellow, who is high in flesh, and think that by the driving process they can get him fit in a fortnight. They generally do succeed in getting him down to the last stage of sparseness of flesh, but the athlete's strength has also passed away with superfluous tissue.

The man looks well to the eye, but he is very much like a cardboard house—apt to fall in if hit in the middle. Many an athlete has stepped into the arena looking fit to contend for a kingdom, while, in reality, he was less able to stand as much punishment or straining as his antagonist, who was fat and had done no work at all. Of course, there are some men who can reduce very rapidly and retain a certain amount of physical strength and vitality. Yet even these find constant and speedy training spells take all the steel out of them, and each succeeding spell of preparation find them less inclined than ever to jump out and take their gruel with that zest which shows that an athlete has lost none of his old power.

Such methods as these have ruined more men than anything else, for a lazy man will do more harm in a week than can be undone in a month. No one, only those who have undergone a severe athletic preparation, knows what is endured during the first week or so of training. The removal of the loose fat, especially that which is inside, seems to engender an all-devouring thirst, and the first thing an athlete does is to resort to liquids. If he be a professional it is ten to one that he craves for something stronger than water. Here is where the self-denial comes in, for should he give way all the good work done by exercise will be undone in a very few minutes. If he manages to fight the craving down his reward will be great, for the parching thirst will gradually disappear. The superfluous flesh will melt as though by magic and in its place a healthy growth of muscle will make its appearance.—Cor. New York Star.

Satan's business goes on widout any trouble ter de ole rascal, but it peer like de erfairs o' de Lawd has ter be allus 'tended to. De weed grows widout work, but de cotton has ter be plowed an' hoed.—Arkansaw Traveler.

INDISPUTABLE CROSS-EXAMINED SWORN EVIDENCE.

William Hicks, sworn before Judge Galt, Toronto, 1882; Jas. Bethune, Q. C., for plaintiff:—I did keep the principal hotel at Perth, Ont., I have gone out of the hotel business now having sold out. suffered from lame and weak back for ten or twelve years; I began to use the Starr Kidney Pad in the spring of 1880; it was more weakness in my back that I suffered from that pain. I was so weak that when I stooped I could not get up again without assistance. Dr. Howden and others had treated me for the affection, and I went to Winchester springs two or three years, but I got very little relief there, my back was not any better from all the treatment. I then applied the Starr Kidney Pad. I wore the Holman Liver Pad for indigestion, and I found benefit from it. I believe in the absorption treatment firmly; I was glad to get anything, and I bought a Starr Kidney Pad; and I had not worn it over four or five weeks when I began to get better; in nine weeks I was well, and took the pad off for a while. Q.—How was your back? A.—It was strong; I could get up and down readily, my water did not trouble me since that. I wear one once in a while still if my urinary system gets out of order. Q.—To what do you attribute your getting better? A.—To the Starr Kidney Pad; I know of nothing else. I tried everything I thought would do me any good, before using the pad I tried electricity without effect. I know others who have got great benefit from the use of the Starr Kidney Pad. I have formed a very good opinion of the pad in that way. I would not be without it for twenty dollars.

Cross-examination—Q.—Only twenty dollars? A.—And as much more as I could afford to give; I stopped keeping hotel the first of May last. I was never my own customer at the bar; I have sold liquor for 25 years, and I will give any man a thousand dollars that can say he ever saw me take it. I was a temperance man, and preached temperance to everybody. I did not keep hotel for the selling of whisky, but for the accommodation of the public. Q.—And you have it yet? A.—Oh no. I had a liver pad on my stomach; I did not wear both of the pads together. The Starr Kidney Pad cured my back. Q.—You wore them every other day? A.—No sir, I have not worn the liver pad for five years now. I used to suffer greatly from weakness, now I feel strong. I have gone out of business; I do not think I have less to do now, I think I have more to do. Q.—Has the weakness entirely gone? A.—I wear the pad occasionally; if I feel the least appearance of weakness I will put it on for a week or so occasionally. I have not had any bad symptoms for over a year now. I think I got better through using the pad. Q.—You cannot tell whether the pad did it; all you know is you were sick, and now you are well? A.—I think I got better by using it. I know that nature is a great restorer. Q.—Won't you give nature a little credit? A.—Yes; and a good deal of faith in this pad. The pad cured me where all other medicines, springs and doctors failed. Langley & Co., Victoria, wholesale agents.*

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JOSEPH MASON.
JOHN DALY.

Witnessed by CHARLES WILSON, Solicitor, Victoria B. C. sept 11-1m

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S. PERRY MILLS,
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SIDNEY J. PITTS.

Sept16-1m

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2.00		Lv VICTORIA Ar		10:30
13:00	0	Lv..Port Moody..Arr.	446	12:00
13:32	12	Hammond	434	11:28
13:54	20	Warnock	426	11:06
14:21	30	Mission	416	10:39
14:48	40	Nicomen	406	10:12
15:13	49	Harrison	397	9:47
15:38	58	Aggasiz	388	9:22
16:05	68	Ruby Creek	378	8:55
16:27	76	Hope	370	8:33
17:05 / 17:15	90	De Yale De	356	7:55 / 7:45
17:57	102	Spuzzum	344	7:03
18:30 / 19:00	117	Ar / De North Bend De / Ar	329	6:10 / 6:00
19:39	128	Keefers	318	5:20
20:14	138	Cisco	308	4:49
20:35	144	Lytton	302	4:29
21:31	160	Drynock	286	3:37
21:52	166	Spence's Bridge	280	3:16
22:32	178	Spatsum	268	2:36
23:25	193	Ashcroft	253	1:43
24:15	207	Pennys	239	24:55
24:35	213	Savonas	233	24:35
1:13	224	Cherry Creek	222	23:57
1:33	230	Tranquille	216	23:37
2:00	238	Arr....Kamloops..De	208	23:10
2:10	238	De....Kamloops..Arr	208	23:00
2:56	255	Ducks	191	22:06
3:38	271	Shuswap	174	21:24
4:26	287	Notch Hill	159	20:36
4:58	296	Tappen Siding	149	20:09
5:23	304	Salmon Arm	142	19:47
6:14	323	Sicamous	123	18:56
6:57	338	Craigellachie	107	18:13
7:45	350	Griffin Lake	96	17:35
8:25	358	Eagle Pass	88	16:50
9:10 / 9:15	367	Arr / De Revelstoke De / Arr	79	16:05 / 16:00
10:10	378	Twin Butte	68	15:05
11:05	388	Albert Canyon	58	14:15
11:40	395	Illecillewaet	51	13:40
12:35	404	Ross Peak Siding	42	12:55
13:12 / 13:28	410	Arr / De Glac'r Hot'l* De / Ar	35	11:57 / 11:42
13:40	412	Rogers Pass	33	11:30
14:13	419	Bear Creek	27	10:57
14:56	429	Six Mile Creek	17	10:07
15:18	434	Beaver	12	9:45
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19:55		Field		6:20
13:00		Calgary		22:50
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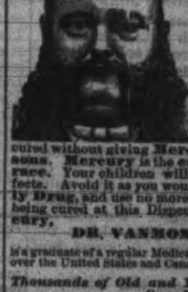

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Victoria, Tuesday, Sept. 28, 1886.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Look out for Gregg & Son's new advertisement to-morrow.

—Money saved by having your plans made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT.

—From Toronto it is reported that on the 18th inst., a large number of working men left that city for this province.

—Thirty-six cases eastern rubbers, all new styles, just received at the CITY BOOT and SHOE STORE.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—Cacao Chouao, Benedictine, Chartreuse, Parfait Amour, veritable liqueurs at Neufelder & Ross'.

—Fidelity Hams and Bacon are the best in the market, at NEUFELDER & Ross.

—DENTISTRY:—W. J. Quinlan, D. D. S., has removed to the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. West, over Denny's store, Victoria Block.

—The Concordia still continues to attract large numbers. A new programme was well rendered last evening by a select troupe.

—Lunch will be supplied on the grounds at the Saanich agricultural fair on Thursday, during the progress of the fair.

—The Saanich show will be held on Thursday at the Agricultural hall. Quite a number of our citizens intend gracing the occasion with their presence.

—The Electric and Blue Mottled Soaps turned out by Pendray & Co. are absolutely pure—will wash the finest fabrics without damaging them or burning the hands. Try them.

—The Victoria Rice Mills, Store street, offer for sale rice flour and ground rice which is claimed to be preferrble to corn starch for puddings and for making bread. Housewives should give it a trial.

—Mrs. E. J. Miller receives pupils in oil painting, drawing, crayon and decorative work. Room 19, Bank of British Columbia building, Government St.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Five Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver.

—The thing can't be done and there is no use of looking for, or expecting to get as good a line of Laundry Soaps, TOILET SOAPS, Shaving Soap, as PENDRAY & Co. have on hand and are turning out at their factory on Humboldt street.

—Before furnishing your house call on SHORE & ANDERSON and examine their stock of bargains in furniture. Furniture repaired, also mattresses repaired and returned on one day's notice; Douglas streets, opposite City Hall.

—Regular trains will begin running on the E. & N. R., on Thursday next, as follows: Depart from Russell's station at 8 a. m., arriving at Nanaimo at 11:40 a. m.; returning, leave Nanaimo at 2 p. m. arriving at Victoria at 5:40 p. m.

—Advertising is to trade what plowing is to the farmer. There would be some natural production if the sod was never broken. To advertise, first write for a copy of "Newspaper Advertising," sent free by Geo. P. Rowell & Co., 10 Spruce street, New York.

—Mr. N. G. Johnson desires to intimate to his numerous friends that he has bought a half interest in the NEW YORK RESTAURANT with Mr. Chris Nelson, where he will be pleased to meet them. Everything in first-class style; come and see us. NELSON & JOHNSON.

—Ten Tie, a Chinaman who only got out of gaol on the 17th inst., after spending three months there for selling liquor to an Indian, was caught red-handed in the same act yesterday by officer Walker. He was to-day sentenced to six months at hard labor, in lieu of a fine of $50 and $2 costs.

—A Siwash, in attempting to escape from a New Westminster policeman on Saturday night tumbled into the water between the wharf and the steamer Teaser, and was drowned. We did not hear that the policeman jumped into the river after his man, either to arrest him or in an attempt to save his life.

—The cabmen do not take kindly to Douglas street as a stand, and have entered a silent protest by refusing to "stand" there. They now relieve the monotony of their unemployed hours by walking their horses around the blocks, taking in Government street every circuit.

—Parties wishing to invest in Port Moody property will have an opportunity of so doing by calling on Captain W. R. Clarke, at his salesroom, Yates street, where prices, conditions and all other information can be obtained. The property offered is on the Clarke estate, and is considered to be the most valuable in the port.

—The Union Pacific is rapidly working into good financial condition. Its report for the first six months of the year shows earnings of $11,606,088.07; expenses, $8,444,765.81. Surplus earnings, $3,161,322.26. Surplus, less United States requirements, $789,327.08; deficit last year, $427,121.52. On August 24th the last note of the company outstanding was paid.

—The teams of the Transfer Company were kept busy yesterday and to-day hauling goods from the wharf of Messrs. Welch, Rithet & Co., hence from San Francisco by the Mexico and from the wharf of the C. P. N. Co., that arrived from the east on Saturday via the Canadian Pacific, and also that arriving by the O. R. N. Co.'s steamers from the Sound.

—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's telegraphic system, which is now completed throughout Canada, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and in connection with the Postal Telegraph Company's wires to New York, to which the Canadian company has a direct line all over the United States, is now open to the public. Arrangements have been consummated with the Commercial Cable Co. for European service.

—If there is not a law against leaving horses unhitched on the streets there should be. A team of horses hitched to a heavy wagon started off on their own accord down Government street this morning, and were quite capable of doing considerable damage to life and property, but fortunately they came to a standstill after going a short distance. Drivers have no right to leave horses untied on the streets.

—North Pacific consignees: Burns & Co, Burnett S M Co, Blacket & White, D B Grant, Fell & Co, H Harvey, Hayden & Co, J B Lowell, J S Carlton, J Dwyer & Co, McDonald Bros, S Leiser, W R Austin, Wood & Caton, Neufelder & Ross, McDonald Bros, Mann & H, Waitt & Co, Langley & Co, J Cunningham, J Stewart, J F Hawks, J Wattsworth, J Rousseau, J H Todd & Son, J Weiler, H Mansell, Hutcheson Y & Co, D E Campbell, D Spencer, Brown & White, A Bossi & Co, J Fullerton, J W Lyle, N Portman.

A BRILLIANT CONCERT.

First Appearance of Minnie Hauk and Troupe at the Victoria.

Seldom has the Victoria theatre presented a more brilliant appearance than on last evening, comfortably filled as it was with the elite and wealth of the city, the female portion of the audience arrayed in bright and pleasing colors and a fair proportion of the gentlemen in evening dress, all anxious to see and hear this troupe whose praises have been heralded through the press weeks in advance of their appearance here. The programme presented was an excellent one, comprising miscellaneous selections and the third act of "Faust." Interest of course centered in Minnie Hauk, whose appearance on the stage to render an air and gavotte from "Nanon" was the signal for an outburst of applause. The cantatrice is a rather large woman, dark, has a pair of roguish eyes, a winning smile and a figure well rounded—somewhat inclined to *embonpoint*—and a rich and pleasing voice, almost a mezzo-soprano in quality. Her rendition of the air was highly artistic and established her at once as a favorite with her listeners. But in the echo song from "Mignon" she displayed more fully the flexibility of her voice, and it was modulated with a rare nicety, finishing in a whisper. In response to encores, the songstress gave "Comin' thro' the Rye;" the charming little Scotch ballad "I'm o'er young to marry," and "Kathleen Mavourneen" to her own piano accompaniment. Miss Muellenbach, the contralto of the company, is the possessor of a rich and well trained voice, which was heard to advantage in the ballad "Springtide," for which the lady received an enthusiastic encore. Her rendering of Siebel and Martha in "Faust" were artistic. One of the delightful features of the evening was a little gem from "Mefistofele" by Minnie Hauk and Miss Muellenbach, which was not on the bills exactly. Mr. Fox, the baritone, established himself as a favorite, and his song "The Wolf" was admirably done. Signor Spigaroli, the orthodox Italian tenor, has a light and pleasing voice, but the concert stage is all he should aspire to. The Chevalier de Kontski is a great pianist and showed himself master of the instrument. His technique is admirable and is expression and delicate fingering he is simply superb. "Faust," with variations, as performed by the Chevalier was one of the successes of the evening, and must have astonished local talent as to what a piano can do. The "Arousing of the Lion" was another masterpiece of the Chevalier's.

Taken as a whole the concert was a brilliant success in every particular. To-night will be the last appearance of the troupe in a programme consisting of one act from the operas of La Favorita, Carmen and Il Trovatore.

THE PORT MOODY SEIZURE.

It appears the actual facts of this case are at variance with those reported already. From the stevedore who had charge of the discharging of the cargo we learn that there were a couple of damaged packages in the cargo, which had been passed into the vessel at Yokohama in that condition. In passing these to the wharf the party in charge urged those handling the cases to be careful, an injunction which was complied with. On their reaching the wharf it was discovered that the contents differed from the ordinary tea packages. This coming to the ears of the Customs official he at once detained the train as well as stopping any further discharge of cargo. An investigation was then made of the contents of the cases, which were found to contain nothing but tea put up in quantities ranging from half a pound to five-pound packages in a style resembling a small basket. The embargo placed on the train and ship were at once released and the work of discharging soon completed.

THREE INTERPRETERS.

The polyglot character of our police court *habitants*, and the linguistic abilities of the officials and interpreters, is a subject of general comment by visitors. They were both seen to advantage this morning in the case of a Chinaman who was charged with supplying liquor to an Indian woman, of the Chemainus tribe. The woman could not talk Chinook or English, and "Gentleman Jim," a swell looking member of her tribe was employed to translate the witnesses' guttural grunts into Chinook, where Officer Shepherd picked them up and turned them out in English to the court. Chin Ah You then interpreted the evidence from English into Chinese for the benefit of the prisoner, and thus the circuit of intelligence was established, through many devious channels, between the court, the prisoner and the witness, and justice was arrived at.

WHAT ARE WE DOING?

In the way of developing inland resources we clip the following from a contemporary: "A company is being formed at Sandy Point, U. S., to run a branch line from the N. P. R. R. to the boundary line at Osoyoos, B. C., which will tap the water communication through the richest part of British Columbia and open up from that end the large areas of wheat land and rich mining country of Okanagan district."

Surely our citizens in British Columbia are alive to the possibilities of the future and awake to their own responsibilities. The great wheat country of British Columbia, through the Spallumacheen and Okanagan valleys in the near future will be a factor in developing emigration and revenue of the utmost importance to the well being of the province.

COLLECTING A DEBT.

James Sullivan was charged by Alonzo Benjamin, at the police court, with assault. It appears, from the admissions made in court, that complainant boarded with Sullivan on Douglas street, and was about to leave, taking with him his earthly possessions and without paying his board, when Sullivan entered a summary writ of replevin and attempted to get possession of the carpet-bag. To accomplish this he had to throw Benjamin down, grab him by the throat, gently press his wind pipe, and do other illegal acts. He was very properly fined $10 and $3 costs, and was informed that while he might have a legal right to detain complainant's baggage he could not use violence in doing so.

SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE.

The school room of the Baptist church was filled last evening with Sunday school workers and bible students, who entered with hearty enthusiasm into the normal lesson conducted by Mr. E. G. Wheeler. This evening the subject of the normal study will be "Principles of Instruction;" a printed lesson. All who desire a more thorough acquaintance with the bible should not fail to be present. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler will return to Portland to-morrow.

FOR THE LADIES.

Mrs. Whitlaw, the leading milliner of Fort street, has received her stock of autumn novelties, comprising the many delicate fineries which serve to show off to advantage the "female form divine." Her stock is large and complete and contains everything here which has been brought out in the leading centres for the coming season. The ladies of Victoria should not fail to inspect the stock which Mrs. Whitlaw has selected with so much care.

RAILWAY TRAFFIC.

The Island Railway to be Opened on Thursday for Through Business.

The announcement is made that a regular passenger train service will commence next Thursday between this city and Nanaimo. The first train will leave Russell's station, West Victoria, at 8 o'clock next Thursday morning for the black diamond city, which it is expected to reach at 11:40 a. m. Returning will leave Nanaimo at 2 p. m., reaching Russell's station at 5:40. Stoppages will be made at all way stations going north and coming south. The trip will be made by daylight. Two hours time will be allowed for business at Nanaimo between arrival and departure of trains. The long-looked-for event is now at hand, whereby the two sister cities on the Islands are to be united by the indissoluble iron band, a union which THE TIMES trusts will prove a benefit to both cities and the province at large, as well as a commercial success to its projectors and proprietors.

A DOUBLE KNOTTED MESH.

Hitherto those employed in the fishery business have had to test the meshes of their nets, the knots not being considered safe, frequently slipping when severely tested by the fish, which finding itself entangled put forth every effort to become free again. The testing process was a tedious, expensive one, frequently consuming much precious time, as well as necessitating a thorough overhauling to rectify a weak knot. Mr. Stewart of Musselburgh, Scotland, after many years of experimenting and thought, at last invented a process by which a double knot was woven into the net when passing through the looms. So arranged is this knot that the more it is pressed the stronger and more secure does it become by making it impossible for the loop or knot to slip. These nets are in general use on the Columbia river, as well as on many stations in this province and are found to be superior to any others employed. Messrs. Robert Ward & Co., as will be observed by advertisement elsewhere are sole agents in British Columbia for the Messrs. Stewart, and are now taking orders for spring delivery of nets, twines and other necessaries in connection with the fisheries, to whom orders should be sent at once in order to secure early delivery.

A DUCK-LET.

An influential supporter of the government on Wharf street said to-day: "Duck was now acting in direct opposition to all the professions of his life. Politics have made knaves of many honest men, but it was extraordinary that the sweets of office should tempt one so pronounced in his democratic notions, and withal a personally honest man. Smithe made him a tool once; he is now using him in the same capacity again. Duck will continue to draw the ducats just so long as it serves Smithe's purpose which will not be very long now."

HORRIBLE SMELL.

There are one or two spots on Yates street, between Douglas and Wharf, as abominably filthy and quite as offensive to the nostrils as any spot in Chinatown. Some time ago Coun. Barnard proposed to flush the gutters, but could not procure a majority of the council on his side and the motion was defeated. The effect is that the stench in some places in the center of the city is unbearable to every person of acute olfactory sensibilities. Councillors who voted against flushing and Chinamen are of course exempt.

QUICK WORK.

The Minnie Hauk troupe leave Victoria by the Sound steamer at 6 o'clock. They are billed to play that evening at Olympia. At Seattle a special swift steamer will convey the party direct from the Victoria steamer to the Territorial Capital, which they will reach at 6:30 o'clock. Then on Thursday night Minnie Hauk again appears at the Casino Opera House, Portland, and leaves on Friday afternoon for the far east.

OUR RICE MILLS.

It will be observed by reference to our advertising columns that the Victoria rice mills are offering for sale rice flour and ground rice, both of which are preferable to corn starch for puddings, etc. Also that by a mixture of 15 per cent. of rice flour with that from wheat a superior article of bread can be produced. Try for yourself the experiment and be convinced of its efficacy.

MARINE ITEMS.

The bark Oasis was towed to Janion's wharf to-day from Royal Roads by the Pilot and will begin discharging cargo to-morrow.

A DECIDED IMPROVEMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—Permit me to thank and compliment the Council for its firm and decided attitude concerning the city cabs being allowed to monopolize Government street and the determination displayed by the majority of that body to have this eye sore, and in many respects, grievous nuisance, removed from our leading business thoroughfare; the enhanced appearance the streets presents since their removal to Douglas street. Heretofore it was positively dangerous for a lady, or any helpless person to attempt crossing from either side of the street. Ladies with children were compelled to keep on one side of the street between Yates and Fort, a crossing inside of this limit being almost impossible. I am now enabled to attend to my shopping with comfort and a feeling of security against accident to myself or children while on the street. There are other reforms that the Council should carry out, now that they have laid the axe to tree and thereby eradicate many a canker from the city.

WIFE AND MOTHER.

Victoria, Sept. 27, 1886.

ACCORDING to the *Pall Mall Gazette* Lord RANDOLPH CHURCHILL is a very demonstrative speaker. If "action action action," is the first second and third feature of oratory, as has been stated, then the new leader of the commons is an orator. Recently he made a brief speech in which his appearance, gesticulations and movements were thus described and enumerated: "He wore a white rose in his coat, spoke about eight minutes, certainly not over ten minutes; yet during that time he was recorded as making no less than 130 movements with his hands, some of these being very rapid and momentary. He crossed his hands in front of him, behind him, above him, below him; he crossed his legs in every way that his anatomy permitted; he laid his hands upon every part of him within reach; he caught hold of every inanimate object within a circle of two yards or so—130 distinct movements or attitudes in eight minutes, by actual count!"

FIRE! FIRE!

W. Heathorn is now prepared to execute all orders entrusted him with UTMOST DESPATCH.

VICTORIA BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY.

THE Quebec *Chronicle* naturally hopes that the provincial government of that province, which it supports, will be sustained in the coming elections. But the *Chronicle* mentions that twelve constituencies have yet no ministerial candidates, while in all but six of the entire sixty-five opposition aspirants are in the field. This may, or may not afford an indication of how the contest will turn. We shall know all about it when it is over.

A TERRIFIC hurricane visited the island of Jamaica on the night of August 19. A correspondent writes that the entire pimento crop has been blown off the trees, nearly all the coffee crop for this year destroyed, several parishes of the island denuded of trees, banana plantations destroyed, the large military barracks at New Castle all unroofed, churches blown down, and when the correspondent closed his letter still more serious news of further losses were coming in from the interior. Several ships in the harbor of Kingston were damaged.

APPARENTLY the Imperial Federationists are waiting, somewhat impatiently for some practical result from their recent representation to Lord SALISBURY and his colleagues. At any rate Sir S. WILSON, on their behalf, inquired in the House this week whether the Government had decided to appoint a committee of both Houses of Parliament to inquire into and report upon the subject. Mr. STANHOPE'S cautious and noncommittal reply was that it would be impossible, without risk of misapprehension, to state the views of the Government within the limits of an answer to a question. But in accordance with the promise given by the Prime Minister the Government are taking the matter into their very careful consideration.

The cross firing between Lord RANDOLPH CHURCHILL and the Scottish Protestant Alliance is rather interesting. The Alliance took exception to the appointment of Mr. MATTHEWS in the Home Secretaryship, he being a Roman Catholic, and "the avowed aim of the Papacy being to reduce Great Britain to subjection to the Vatican." Lord RANDOLPH responded by saying that "it was with astonishment and regret that he observed that in this age of enlightment and general toleration persons professing to be educated and intelligent could arrive at such senseless and irrational conclusions." To this the Alliance retorted that Lord RANDOLPH had tomahawked his way into power, and that his presence in the cabinet was a national calamity. But all the same the victory is clearly with Lord RANDOLPH, although his letter was not written in the usual guarded style of official documents. A similar cry went up to heaven when Mr. GLADSTONE made the Marquis of RIPON, another Roman Catholic, governor general of India. His recall was demanded and it was shown that the empire was being steered straight over to Rome. But Roman Catholics are citizens like the rest of us and their religion cannot be permitted in cases such as these quoted to prevent them from occupying positions of honour and serving the State. The Alliance evidently put its foot in it and Lord RANDOLPH was not slow to take advantage of the opportunity to make the most of it.

Consignments of salmon from British Columbia have commenced to arrive via the Canadian Pacific in Ottawa.

Hon. Alex. Mackenzie and wife arrived from Europe on the 20th, at Montreal, and proceeded to Ottawa.

A by-law authorizing the issue of debentures amounting to $300,000, for widening, deepening and straightening the River Don, Toronto, was carried on Saturday last by a majority of 1,508.

Great Salvage Sale.

$25,000 worth of Stationery and Books must be cleared out in thirty days.

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Her Stock is Large and Varied.

New Chenille Flowers,
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Sealskin Hats and Caps in great variety.
Untrimmed Hats and Bonnets in all the Leading Shapes.
New Frieze Hats in all colors, and the popular shape, "Ellen Terry."

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Sole Agents for British Columbia,

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Will sail from Victoria wharf, outer harbor, for San Francisco on

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Intending Shippers are requested to make arrangements for Freight as early as possible, so that room may be reserved for their shipments.

Freight for shipment by the steamer is required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M., on Friday, Oct. 1.

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WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
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A REGULAR TRAIN

Will leave RUSSELL'S STATION, VICTORIA,

On THURSDAY, Sept. 30, at 8 a.m.,

Arriving at Nanaimo at 11:40 a.m., and will return the same day,

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P. H. DONOVAN,
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AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,

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23 first-class Work Horses,
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